

**NEW YORK OPERA SEASON
OPENS WITH "LES PECHEURS"**

Delights Fashionable Audience

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The opera season was opened at the Metropolitan Opera

sort long familiar under the same manager, whose assistants and subordinates, artists and conductors are largely the same as last season, with a house crowded to its utmost capacity and exhibiting in its more prominent places wealth, brilliance and fashion which for a couple of centuries have been the chief support of opera, with the atmosphere of interest and expectancy that is supposed invariably to envelop douings of an opening night. Mr. Gatti-Casazza had appointed for his first night one of the new things that are adding to the repertoire of the Metropolitan—George

The performance was in every respect a fine one. The singing of Caruso and Mme. Hempel as Nadir and Leila was of the highest beauty. Both were in excellent voice, though Caruso seemed to show slight traces of a cold not sufficient to do him injury.

Gizet's work was given completely for the first time in New York, but it has been presented at various other operatic centers in America, in Philadelphia by the Helmi-

San Francisco, when Miss Yelamkandla sang the surprise part just before she was "discovered" and suddenly became, for a space, a great prima donna. At this performance Mr. Polacca conducted, as he did last evening.

FAST WORK ON SPEEDWAY

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**Howard B. French and N. B. Kelly,
Surprised at Rapid Progress**

Howard B. French and N. B. Kelly, president and secretary, respectively, of the Chamber of Commerce, are the latest Philadelphians to be surprised at the rapid progress of the Philadelphia Motor Show at Warrenton.

The Chamber of Commerce recently endorsed the project, but neither Mr. French nor Mr. Kelly had ever been at the grounds before. They were surprised at the progress which has been made.

When the speedway is completed it is expected it will be the means of attracting 300,000 visitors to Philadelphia every year, and the Chamber of Commerce believes a great good will come of this.

Wills Probated Today

Wills probated today were those of Eugene W. Stillman, 5335 Catharine street, which in private bequests disposes of an

oil, 2122 South Fourth street, \$3500; Henry E. Mack, 5121 Willows avenue, \$3222; Anna R. Brooks, who died in the Germantown Hospital, \$3000; Mary McGowan, 191 Girard avenue, \$2600, and Mary A. Jones,

sonality of the estate of Anthony J. Shackless has been appraised at \$11,789.49; Henry F. Millick, \$11,485.96, and Nellie Doyle \$2581.97.

Deaths

ANDERSON.—ANNA, wife of John Anderson. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Wed., 1:30 p. m., 2748 N. 15th st. Body can be viewed Tues., from 7 to 9 p. m. Int. Greenmount Cem.

ATKINS.—Suddenly, Nov. 11, **CHARLES L. ATKINS**, aged 54. Relatives and friends, Assn. of Hotel Clerks and other organizations of which he was a member, invited to view remains Tuesday, 10 a. m. to 12 m. Int. Greenmount Cem.

HAIRD—Nov. 11, suddenly, FRANCIS X. son of George W. and Mary A. Baird (ne Wacker), aged 10 years 6 months. Relative and friends: Sunday School children of St. Bonaventura's Church, invited to funeral, Wednesday, 7.30 a. m., parents' residence, 3031 N. Perry st. Requiem mass St. Bonaventura's Church.

BARRON—Nov. 13, CAROLINE R. widow of Lieutenant Commander Alphonse P. Barbet, U. S. N., aged 89. Funeral services Wed., 2 p. m., Oliver H. Barr Building, 1820 Chestnut st. Interment private, New Orleans Picayune and N. Y. Herald Tribune copy.

BARR—Nov. 12, CORNELIUS J., husband of late Sarah E. Barr. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Wed., 7:30 a. m., residence of son-in-law, John A. Kelly, 5817 E. 12th st. Solemn services at 10 a. m., St. Ignace church.

BECK—Nov. 5, suddenly, LEWIS P., son of late William and Margaret Beck. Relatives and

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Alhambra 12th, Morris & Broadway Ave.
Mat. Daily 2; Evgs. 6:45 &
Paradise Pictures.
LENORE ULRICH in "THE INTRIGUE"
CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "Behind the Screen"
ARLO 522 and THOMPSON

THELMA HARA & HARRY WILLIAMS in
"ROMEO AND JULIET"
ARCADIA CHESTNUT
 BELOW 16TH
 "THE PRINCE OF GRAUSTARK"
 With Bryant Washburn & Marguerite Clayton
 CHARLES CHAPLIN in "Behind the Screen"

BELMONT AND **MARKET ST.**
MARY PICKFORD in
 "LESS THAN THE DUST"
BLUEBIRD BROAD AND
 SUSQUEHANNA AVE.
 Horan Peters, Beaulieu Harrisvale, Theo. Robert

CEDAR 60TH AND CEDAR AVE.
PARAMOUNT THEATRE
LOUISE HUFF in
"THE REWARD OF PATIENCE"
FAIRMOUNT 26TH AND
CLARK AVENUE

56TH ST. THEATER. NAT. DAIL.
*Hollywood Spree. Even. 7 to 10
Marie Doro IN
"THE LASH"
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Dustin Farnum in "THE PARSON OF PANAMIN"
BILLIE BURKE in "Gloria's Romance"

JEFFERSON 25TH AND DAUPHIN STREETS
VIRGINIA PEARSON in
 "DARK DEVIL, KATIE"

LEADER LANCASTER AVENUE
Marie Doro IN
"THE LASH"
LIBERTY BROAD AND
COLUMBIA
Robert Warwick and Gail Kane

LOCUST 52D AND LOCUST
Mats. 1:30 and 3:30, 1
Evs. 6:30, 8, 9:30, 1
CHAS. CHAPLIN in "Behind the Screen"
Lionel Barrymore in "The Brand of Cowardice"

A. B. C. THEATER 33D AND CHESTN
MARY NASH in
"THE UNBROKEN LAW"

LILLIAN GISH in
"DIANA OF THE FOLLIES"

BOGHARTY—Nov. 13, ELLEN C. ter of late Patrick and Strahan Boghart, lives and friends, Manyumbi Circle, J. eastern of America; St. John's T. A. H. and all other societies of which she was invited to funeral, Fri. 9 a. m., residence, 1444 N. A. Zion, 2340 N. 14th and Cumberland. Solemn high religion St. Columba's Church 10 a. m. St. John's Cem., Manyumbi.

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play Presentation

THEODORE ROBERTS
ANTON THE TERRIBLE!
Market St. Theater

WILLIAM RUSSELL
"THE MAN WHO WOULD NOT
"THE YELLOW MENACE"